

ABSTRACTFLOOR COVERINGS

The present invention relates to sheet materials suitable for use in or as a floor covering. The sheet materials 5 comprise a polyalkene resin in intimate admixture with at least one additive comprising a filler, wherein the polyalkene resin has a relatively narrow molecular weight distribution (MWD) and, a small amount of long chain branching and produced by a single site catalysed 10 polymerisation of at least one, linear, branched or cyclic, alkene having from 2 to 20 carbon atoms. The present invention also extends to processes for the production of such sheet materials and floor coverings.

BEST MODE FOR CARRYING OUT THE INVENTION